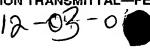
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For: ALPHA-TOCOPHEROL TRANSFER PROTEIN KNOCKOUT ANIMALS

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This application claims priority from each of the following Application Nos./filing dates: 60/245,302 Filed November 2, 2000 ____, the disclosure(s) of which is (are) incorporated by reference.

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